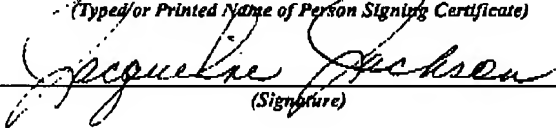


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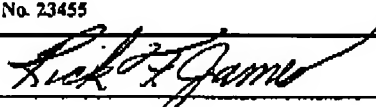
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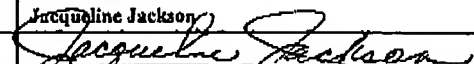
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**SUPPLEMENT TO
REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF
PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(b)**

Dear Sir:

This Supplemental Request is respectfully presented in response to the dismissal of Applicant's (ExxonMobil Chemical Patents, Inc.) declaration and petition filed September 23, 2004 and is supplemental to Applicant's "Request for Reconsideration of Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(b)," filed on January 4, 2005. On January 12, 2005, the USPTO Office of Petitions notified Applicant by telephone message that the Office was additionally requesting a statement on the necessity of granting the petition to either preserve the parties' rights or to prevent irreparable harm, to supplement the Request for Reconsideration.

In accordance with MPEP 409.03(g), Applicant hereby declares and verifies that unless Applicant company, ExxonMobil Chemical Patents, Inc., is authorized to prosecute the subject patent application as 1.47(b) applicant therein, Applicant will indeed be unable to preserve the parties' rights in the subject patent application and corresponding invention(s) contained therein, and particularly Applicant's ownership rights. The loss of Applicant's rights could include economic damages, loss of patent rights in technology developed by ExxonMobil, loss of patent application filing and priority dates,

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loss of return on development costs related thereto, and loss of incidents of ownership associate with patent ownership, such as loss of licensing rights. Unless Applicant company is granted the right to prosecute the subject application, the application will likely become abandoned for want of prosecution, resulting in loss of rights to the Applicant.

Also in this Supplemental Request, Applicant has herein modified the document-header as compared to the document-header that was filed with the Petition and with the Request for Reconsideration of the Petition. As reflected above, the document-headers should properly reflect that the Applicant is "ExxonMobil Chemical Patents, Inc.," as the 37 CFR 1.47(b) applicant and that the inventor is Jean-Marc Francois.

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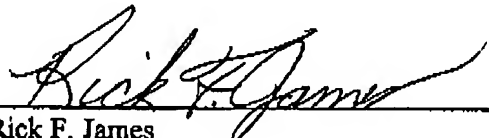
Applicant respectfully believes that this Supplemental Reply corrects and resolves all of the deficiencies from the 37 CFR 1.47(b) Petition submitted on September 23, 2004, including fulfilling the additional request of January 12, 2005 to supplement Applicant's Request for Reconsideration.

This declaration is being made by the best available person having first-hand knowledge of the facts recited therein.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

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